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Public Safety Expands Driver License Services, *Increases Accessibility, Convenience for Public*

MONTGOMERY — The Department of Public Safety is expanding driver license services at five additional offices throughout the state to offer driver license reinstatements, driver records and crash reports at the regional locations.

Col. W.M. Coppage, Department of Public Safety director, said, "Our goal is to make essential driver license services more accessible and convenient for the public."

Walk-in customers may now seek driver license reinstatement and obtain copies of crash reports and driver records at the driver license offices in Jacksonville and Tuscaloosa. The Opelika and Foley driver license offices will offer these services in the near future. The Birmingham office has added reinstatements to the crash report and driver record services it already provides. Locations offering reinstatements, driver records and crash reports follow:

- Birmingham Driver License, 908 Bankhead Highway W., (205) 252-7445
- Dothan Driver License, 5679 Montgomery Highway, (334) 983-5616
- Foley Driver License, Baldwin County Satellite Courthouse, (251) 943-5061 ext. 2871 (Beginning date to be announced)
- Huntsville Driver License, 1115-A Church St., (256) 539-0681
- Jacksonville Driver License, 1703 Pelham Road S., (256) 435-7006
- Mobile Driver License, 3400 Demetropolis Road, (251) 660-2343 or (251) 660-7879
- Montgomery, Public Safety Headquarters, 502 Washington Ave., (334) 242-4259 or 242-4241
- Opelika Driver License, 611 S. Railroad Ave., (334) 737-1665
- Sheffield Driver License, 4500 Hatch Blvd., (256) 383-2923
- Tuscaloosa Driver License, 2645 Skyland Blvd., (205) 553-0729

Reinstatement fees begin at \$100. The required fee for a crash report is \$15, and a driver record costs \$5.75. Cash, money order, MasterCard and Visa are accepted; personal checks are not accepted. Persons wishing to purchase a crash report should provide the date and location of the crash and driver name(s). Those wishing to purchase driver records (MVR's) must provide the name, date of birth, and driver license number of the subject whose record is being requested.

Locations and instructions for obtaining reinstatements, driver records and crash reports also are available on Public Safety's Web site. Go to www.dps.state.al.us and click on the Driver License Division link.

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